



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

5 In re application of: Tara Chand Singhal)
Serial No: 10/091,882) Art Unit
Filed: 03/06/2002) 3692
10 For: Method and Apparatus for)
Restaurant Payment System)
Examiner: Maguire, Lindsay M.)
15 Attorney Docket: 11195.41)

20 **REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114**
AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO Office Action dated 07-24-2008

Commissioner for Patents
P O Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

25 This amendment and response is to the final office action of 07/24/2008. A request for continued examination (RCE), an RCE fee of \$405 is attached.

This response is being timely filed within the statutory period of three months from the date of the office action that is on or before 10/24/2008. The Application, as amended,
30 is believed to be in condition for allowance. Accordingly, reexamination, reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims are respectfully requested.

35 **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR §1.8**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop: RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P O Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on
10-24-2008 by Tara Chand Singhal TARA CHAND
40 SINGHAL, Applicant